

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** E, BAS LC-4, TL-5 glassy carbon electrode +1.0 V, Ag/AgCl reference electrode

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 5

**Limit of quantitation:** 0.2 ng

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**KEY WORDS**

rat; brain

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**REFERENCE**

Sauter,A.; Frick,W. Determination of cholecystokinin tetrapeptide and cholecystokinin octapeptide sulfate in different rat brain regions by high-pressure liquid chromatography with electrochemical detection, *Anal.Biochem.*, **1983**, *133*, 307-313.

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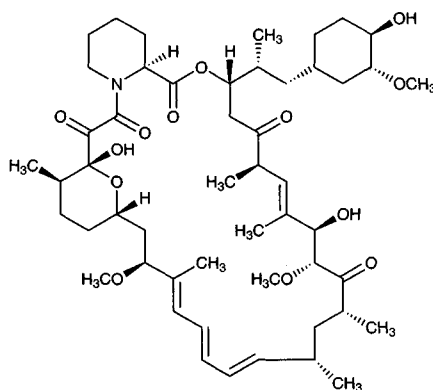
# Sirolimus

**Molecular formula:** C<sub>51</sub>H<sub>79</sub>NO<sub>13</sub>

**Molecular weight:** 914.19

**CAS Registry No.:** 53123-88-9

**Merck Index:** 8288



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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood, tissue

**Sample preparation:** Vortex 0.05-1 mL whole blood or hepatic microsomes with 1 µg IS and 1 mL 100 mM sodium carbonate for 10 s. Add 10 mL MTBE, shake horizontally for 30 min. Centrifuge at 1500 g for 10 min at 4°, remove the organic layer, evaporate to dryness under a stream of nitrogen. Reconstitute the residue in 200 µL mobile phase. Centrifuge at 2500 g at 4°. Inject a 150 µL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 20 × 2 mm 37-53 µm C18 pellicular (Upchurch)

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 µm Supelco LC-318 C18

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:water 70:30

**Column temperature:** 45

**Flow rate:** 1.0

**Injection volume:** 150

**Detector:** UV 278

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 22, 32 (isomers)

**Internal standard:** N-undecyl-o-toluamide (Prepare by dispersing N-undecylamine in cold NaOH and adding an equimolar amount of o-toluoyl chloride, shake vigorously. Remove the product by filtration, wash, air dry, recrystallize from EtOH/water.) (27.5)

**Limit of detection:** 1 ng

**Limit of quantitation:** 2.5 ng

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** beclomethasone, corticosterone, cyclosporine A and G, erythromycin, ethinyl estradiol, hydrocortisone, ketoconazole, lorazepam, methylprednisolone, norethindrone, prednisolone, prednisone, propranolol, rifampicin, tacrolimus

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**KEY WORDS**

rat; rabbit; human; whole blood; microsomes

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**REFERENCE**

Ferron, G.M.; Conway, W.D.; Jusko, W.J. Lipophilic benzamide and anilide derivatives as high-performance liquid chromatography internal standards: application to sirolimus (rapamycin) determination, *J. Chromatogr. B*, **1997**, 703, 243–251.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** microsomal incubations

**Sample preparation:** Condition a 3 mL C18 SPE cartridge (LiChroprep, Merck) with 3 mL MeCN and 3 mL pH 3.0 sulfuric acid. Add 500  $\mu$ L MeCN to 1.5 mL microsomal incubation. Centrifuge at 2500 g for 2 min. Add the supernatant to the SPE cartridge, wash with 3 mL MeOH:pH 3.0 sulfuric acid 50:50 and 500  $\mu$ L hexane. Dry cartridge by drawing air through it and elute with 1.5 mL dichloromethane. Evaporate the eluate under a stream of nitrogen at 40°. Reconstitute the residue in 300  $\mu$ L MeCN:pH 3.0 sulfuric acid 75:25, wash with 500  $\mu$ L hexane. Inject a 125  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.3  $\mu$ m Hypersil C8

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was MeCN. B was pH 3.0 sulfuric acid. A:B maintain at 47:53 for 7 min, to 50:50 over 13 min, to 55:45 over 20 min, to 61:39 over 5 min, wash with 95:5 for 5 min, re-equilibrate at initial conditions for 7 min.

**Column temperature:** 40

**Flow rate:** 0.7

**Injection volume:** 125

**Detector:** UV 276

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 33

**Limit of detection:** 50 ng/mL

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** metabolites

**Simultaneous:** acetaminophen, aspirin, amphotericin B, bromocryptine, captopril, corticosterone, cyclosporine, dexamethasone, diclofenac, erythromycin, ergotamine tartrate, diethylthiocarbamate, disulfiram, ethinyl estradiol, josamycin, ketoconazole, lidocaine, methylprednisolone, miconazole,  $\alpha$ -naphthoflavone, naringin, nifedipine, omeprazole, phenytoin, prednisolone, progesterone, propranolol, quinidine, ranitidine, sulfaphenazole, trimethoprim, troleandomycin, verapamil

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**KEY WORDS**

rat; pharmacokinetics; human; pig; small intestine; liver; SPE

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**REFERENCE**

Lampen, A.; Zhang, Y.; Hackbarth, I.; Benet, L.Z.; Sewing, K.-F.; Christians, U. Metabolism and transport of the macrolide immunosuppressant sirolimus in the small intestine, *J. Pharmacol. Exp. Ther.*, **1998**, 285, 1104–1112.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** microsomal incubations

**Sample preparation:** Condition a 3 mL C8 SPE cartridge (Recipe, Germany) with 3 mL MeCN and 1.5 mL water. Mix 1.5 mL microsomal incubation with 2 mL MeOH:saturated zinc sulfate in water 50:50, add 10  $\mu$ L 1 mM IS in MeCN:pH 3.0 sulfuric acid 75:25. Centrifuge at 2500 g. Add the supernatant to the SPE cartridge, wash with 3 mL water. Dry cartridge by drawing air through it for 3 min, elute with 400  $\mu$ L MeCN:0.1% formic acid 90:10 by centrifuging at 800 g for 2 min. Inject a 25  $\mu$ L aliquot of the extract.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.3  $\mu$ m Hypersil C8

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:0.1% formic acid 90:10

**Column temperature:** 35

**Flow rate:** 0.5

**Injection volume:** 25

**Detector:** MS, HP 5989A, ESI 59887A, drying gas 350°, quadrupole 120°, capillary exit voltage 200 V, positive ion mode, multiplier voltage 2740 V, X-ray 10000 V, m/z 936

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## CHROMATOGRAM

**Limit of detection:** 250 ng/mL

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## OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** metabolites

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## KEY WORDS

rat; pharmacokinetics; human; pig; small intestine; liver; SPE

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## REFERENCE

Lampen,A.; Zhang,Y.; Hackbarth,I.; Benet,L.Z.; Sewing,K.-F.; Christians,U. Metabolism and transport of the macrolide immunosuppressant sirolimus in the small intestine, *J.Pharmacol.Exp.Ther.*, **1998**, 285, 1104–1112.

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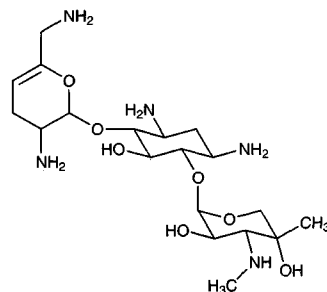
# Sisomicin

**Molecular formula:** C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>37</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O<sub>7</sub>

**Molecular weight:** 447.53

**CAS Registry No.:** 32385-11-8, 53179-09-2 (sulfate)

**Merck Index:** 8695



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## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood, urine

**Sample preparation:** Add 1 mL whole blood or urine to Toxi-Tube A (Toxi-Lab, Irvine CA), add 3 mL water, mix by gentle inversion for 5 min, centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue with 50 µL MeCN:water 50:50, vortex for 10 s, centrifuge at 7500 g for 2 min, inject a 10 (urine) or 30 (blood) µL aliquot. (The detector wavelength shown is the wavelength of maximum absorbance. This will not necessarily be the optimal wavelength for the separation. Multiple wavelengths from 200-350 nm can be scanned using a diode-array detector. Otherwise, 220 nm may be a reasonable choice for initial work. Matrix may interfere.)

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## HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 20 mm long Symmetry C18

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 µm Symmetry C8 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was 50 mM pH 3.8 sodium phosphate buffer. B was MeCN. A:B 85:15 for 6.5 min, 65:35 for 18.5 min, 20:80 for 3 min (step gradient), re-equilibrate at initial conditions for 7 min.

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 1 for 6.5 min, to 1.5 over 18.5 min, maintain at 1.5 for 3 min (re-equilibrate at 1.5 mL/min)

**Injection volume:** 10-30

**Detector:** UV 200.5

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## CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 14.032

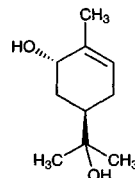
**KEY WORDS**

whole blood

**REFERENCE**

Gaillard,Y.; Pépin,G. Use of high-performance liquid chromatography with photodiode-array UV detection for the creation of a 600-compound library. Application to forensic toxicology, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1997**, 763, 149–163.

# Sobrerol

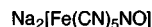
**Molecular formula:**  $C_{10}H_{18}O_2$ **Molecular weight:** 170.25**CAS Registry No.:** 498-71-5**Merck Index:** 8707**SAMPLE****Matrix:** solutions**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 250 × 4.6 10 μm LiChrosorb RP18**Mobile phase:** EtOH:water 20:80 with 10 mM β-cyclodextrin and 0.5 mM tri-O-methyl-β-cyclodextrin**Column temperature:** 25**Flow rate:** 0.04**Injection volume:** 20**Detector:** UV 210**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** k' 3.4**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Extracted:** morsuximide, mephénytoin**KEY WORDS**

no chiral separation

**REFERENCE**

Nowakowski,R.; Bielejewska,A.; Duszczyk,K.; Sybilska,D. Chiral discrimination by high-performance liquid chromatography with joint use of two cyclodextrin additives, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1997**, 782, 1–11.

# Sodium nitroprusside

**Molecular formula:**  $C_5FeN_6Na_2O$ **Molecular weight:** 261.92**CAS Registry No.:** 14402-89-2, 13755-38-9 (dihydrate)**Merck Index:** 8794**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 100 μL Whole blood or plasma + 100 μL 3 M perchloric acid, mix, let stand at 0° for 5 min, centrifuge at 8000 g for 5 min. Remove a 150 μL aliquot of the supernatant and add it to 250 μL 1 M  $K_2HPO_4$ , mix vigorously, centrifuge for 8000 g for 5 min, inject a 20 μL aliquot of the supernatant.

**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 150 × 4 Asahipak BEST 502Q**Mobile phase:** 100 mM pH 6.0 Acetate buffer containing 300 mM sodium perchlorate**Flow rate:** 0.5**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** F ex 583 em 607 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with 5 mM dithiothreitol in 50 mM pH 9.0 Tris-HCl buffer containing 5 mM EDTA pumped at 0.1 mL/min and this mixture flowed through a 4.5 m × 0.5 mm ID coil at 90°. The effluent from this coil mixed with 0.5% Chloramine T in water pumped at 0.1 mL/min and flowed through a mixing coil. The effluent from this coil mixed with reagent pumped at 0.1 mL/min and this mixture flowed through a mixing coil to the detector. (Reagent was a mixture of 1.5 g barbituric acid, 15 mL pyridine, 3 mL concentrated HCl, and 82 mL water. Nitroprusside is reduced to cyanide with dithiothreitol. The cyanide is converted to cyanogen chloride with chloramine T, the cyanogen chloride reacts with the pyridine to form pent-2-en-1,5-dial, and this compound reacts with barbituric acid to form the fluorescent 5,5'-(1,3-pentadiene-1-yl-5-ylidene) dibarbituric acid.)

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 17**Limit of detection:** 200 fmole

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Noninterfering:** cyanide, thiocyanate

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**KEY WORDS**post-column reaction; whole blood; plasma; rat; pharmacokinetics

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**REFERENCE**

Watanabe,T.; Nagamine,Y.; Toida,T.; Koshiishi,I.; Imanari,T. Sensitive determination of nitroprusside in blood by high performance liquid chromatography, *Anal.Sci.*, **1988**, *4*, 203–206.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** formulations**Sample preparation:** Inject an aliquot of the solution.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 300 × 3.9 10 μm phenyl (Waters)**Mobile phase:** MeCN:buffer 30:70 ( Buffer was 10 mM KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> and 5 mM tetrabutylammonium hydroxide adjusted to pH 7.1 with phosphoric acid.)**Flow rate:** 2**Injection volume:** 50**Detector:** UV 210

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 6**Limit of quantitation:** 10 μg/mL

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Simultaneous:** degradation products, ferricyanide, ferrocyanide

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**KEY WORDS**stability-indicating; injections; 5% dextrose

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**REFERENCE**

Baaske,D.M.; Smith,M.D.; Karnatz,N.; Carter,J.E. High-performance liquid chromatographic determination of sodium nitroprusside, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1981**, *212*, 339–346.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** formulations

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** Partisil 10-SAX**Mobile phase:** 500 mM  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  adjusted to pH 3.0 with phosphoric acid**Flow rate:** 1.4**Injection volume:** 50**Detector:** UV 230

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 5

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**KEY WORDS**injections; 5% dextrose; saline; lactated Ringer's solution

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**REFERENCE**Mahony,C.; Brown,J.E.; Stargel,W.W.; Verghese,C.P.; Bjornsson,T.D. In vitro stability of sodium nitroprusside solutions for intravenous administration, *J.Pharm.Sci.*, **1984**, 73, 838-839.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** formulations

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** phenyl**Mobile phase:** MeCN:buffer 30:70 (Buffer was 10 mM  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  containing 0.52% tetrabutylammonium phosphate, pH adjusted to 7.1 with KOH.)**Flow rate:** 1**Detector:** UV 220

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 7.2**Internal standard:** salicylic acid (6)

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**KEY WORDS**injections; 5% dextrose; stability-indicating

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**REFERENCE**Pramar,Y.; Das Gupta,V.; Gardner,S.N.; Yau,B. Stabilities of dobutamine, dopamine, nitroglycerin and sodium nitroprusside in disposable plastic syringes, *J.Clin.Pharm.Ther.*, **1991**, 16, 203-207.

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# Somatomedin

**Molecular weight:** 7649**CAS Registry No.:** 67763-96-6**Merck Index:** 8862

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood**Sample preparation:** Prepare a 240:10 serum:concentrated formic acid mixture, let stand for 1 h at room temperature or 37°, filter (0.22  $\mu\text{m}$ ) or centrifuge at 12000 g for 5 min, inject a 200  $\mu\text{L}$  aliquot of the filtrate or supernatant.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Guard column:** 100  $\times$  7.5 10  $\mu\text{m}$  TSK 2000 SW (Toyo Soda)**Column:** 600  $\times$  7.5 10  $\mu\text{m}$  TSK 2000 SW (Toyo Soda)**Mobile phase:** 100 mM Ammonium formate adjusted to pH 3.0 with concentrated formic acid**Flow rate:** 0.7**Injection volume:** 200**Detector:** UV 280 or bioassay

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 14

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**KEY WORDS**serum; SEC; human; rat

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**REFERENCE**

Goldstein,S.; Stivaletta,L.A.; Phillips,L.S. Separation of somatomedins and somatomedin inhibitors by size exclusion high-performance liquid chromatography, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1985**, 339, 388–393.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** cell suspensions

**Sample preparation:** Centrifuge cells in modified Eagle's medium containing 10% fetal bovine serum, 20 mM L-glutamine, 50 U/mL penicillin, and 50 µg/mL streptomycin at 2500 g, to each 1 liter of supernatant add 390 g ammonium sulfate, dissolve, let stand overnight, centrifuge at 4° at 10000 g for 30 min. Dissolve the precipitate in 25-30 mL 50 mM pH 7.8 ammonium bicarbonate, purify 40-50 mL aliquots on a 1000 × 50 column of Sephacryl S-300, elute with 50 mM pH 7.8 ammonium bicarbonate buffer at 0.7 mL/min at 4°, adjust pH of eluate to 6.5 with acetic acid, inject a 10-15 mL aliquot at 0.5 mL/min.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 250 × 4.6 7 µm Aquapore RP-300 C8 (Brownlee)

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. MeCN:buffer from 0:100 to 20:80 over 10 min, to 60:40 over 75 min. (Buffer was 100 mM pH 6.5 ammonium acetate, pass through a C18 Sep-Pak to remove impurities.)

**Flow rate:** 0.5 (?)**Injection volume:** 10000-15000**Detector:** UV 280

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 40

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**REFERENCE**

Powell,D.R.; Lee,P.D.K.; Shively,J.E.; Eckenhausen,M.; Hintz,R.L. Method for purification of an insulin-like growth factor -binding protein produced by human HEP G2 hepatoma cells, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1987**, 420, 163–170.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** solutions

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 75 × 4.6 Beckman RPSC

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. MeCN:10 mM trifluoroacetic acid from 10:90 to 60:40 over 40 min

**Flow rate:** 1**Detector:** UV 210

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 33

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**REFERENCE**

Saito,Y.; Yamada,H.; Niwa,M.; Ueda,I. Production and isolation of recombinant somatomedin C, *J.Biochem.(Tokyo)*, **1987**, 101, 123–134.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Adjust pH to 3.0 with trifluoroacetic acid (if necessary), filter (0.22 µm) (if necessary), inject a 200 µL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 100 × 3.9 Aquapore RP-300 (Brownlee)

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was water containing 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid. B was MeCN:water 80:20 containing 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid. A:B from 30:70 to 50:50 over 20 min, maintain at 50:50 for 3 min, to 0:100 over 3 min, return to initial conditions over 2 min.

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 200

**Detector:** UV 280

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 12 (isoform 1), 14 (isoform 2), 2 (reduced form)

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#### REFERENCE

Meng,H.; Burleigh,B.D.; Kelly,G.M. Reduction studies on bacterial recombinant somatomedin C/insulin-like growth factor-1, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1988**, *443*, 183–192.

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## Somatrem

**Molecular formula:**  $C_{995}H_{1537}N_{263}O_{301}S_8$

**Molecular weight:** 22256.39

**CAS Registry No.:** 82030-87-3

**Merck Index:** 8864

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** solutions

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5  $\mu$ m C4 (Vydac)

**Mobile phase:** Isopropanol:500 mM pH 6.5  $KH_2PO_4$  29:71

**Column temperature:** 45

**Flow rate:** 1

**Detector:** F ex 295 em 348

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 25

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Simultaneous:** somatropin

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#### REFERENCE

Oroszlan,P.; Wicar,S.; Teshima,G.; Wu,S.L.; Hancock,W.S.; Karger,B.L. Conformational effects in the reversed-phase chromatographic behavior of recombinant human growth hormone (rhGH) and N-methionyl recombinant human growth hormone (Met-hGH), *Anal.Chem.*, **1992**, *64*, 1623–1631.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** solutions

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5  $\mu$ m Vydac C4 Protein Pak

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. MeCN:0.05% trifluoroacetic acid from 43:57 to 55:45 over 30 min

**Column temperature:** 45

**Flow rate:** 0.5

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 220

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 35



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**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Simultaneous:** somatropin

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**REFERENCE**

Arcelloni, C.; Fermo, I.; Banfi, G.; Pontiroli, A.E.; Paroni, R. Capillary electrophoresis for protein analysis: separation of human growth hormone and human insulin molecular forms, *Anal. Biochem.*, **1993**, 212, 160–167.

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# Somatropin

**Molecular formula:**  $C_{990}H_{1529}N_{263}O_{299}S_7$ **Molecular weight:** 22124.21**CAS Registry No.:** 9002-72-6, 12629-01-5 (human)**Merck Index:** 8864

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** bulk**Sample preparation:** Prepare a solution in 20 mM sodium borate containing 1.44 mM EDTA adjusted to pH 9.5 with NaOH, inject an aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** Vydac 218TP104**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was MeCN:0.1% trifluoroacetic acid:water 10.5:70:19.5. B was MeCN:0.1% trifluoroacetic acid:water 21:70:9. A:B from 100:0 to 0:100 in 30 min**Flow rate:** 1**Injection volume:** 20**Detector:** UV 214

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 22.5 (monomer), 25 (dimer)

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**REFERENCE**

Chang, J.P.; Ferguson, T.H.; Record, P.A.; Dickson, D.A.; Kiehl, E.; Kennington, A.S. Improved potency assay for recombinant bovine somatotropin by high-performance size-exclusion chromatography, *J. Chromatogr. A*, **1996**, 736, 97–104.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** bulk**Sample preparation:** Prepare a solution in 20 mM sodium borate containing 1.44 mM EDTA adjusted to pH 9.5 with NaOH, inject an aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 300 × 21.5 TSK G3000SW**Mobile phase:** 20 mM Sodium borate containing 1.44 mM EDTA, adjusted to pH 7.3 with HCl**Flow rate:** 0.5**Injection volume:** 20**Detector:** UV 280

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 13.3 (dimer), 14.5 (monomer)

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**REFERENCE**

Chang, J.P.; Ferguson, T.H.; Record, P.A.; Dickson, D.A.; Kiehl, E.; Kennington, A.S. Improved potency assay for recombinant bovine somatotropin by high-performance size-exclusion chromatography, *J. Chromatogr. A*, **1996**, 736, 97–104.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** fermentation broth

**Sample preparation:** Centrifuge 1.5 mL fermentation broth at 16000 g for 2 min, put the pellet on ice. Re-suspend the pellet in 150  $\mu$ L ice-cold 10 mM pH 7.5 Tris-HCl containing 20% (w/v) sucrose. Add 5  $\mu$ L 500 mM pH 8.0 EDTA, incubate on ice for 10 min. Microcentrifuge the cells and re-suspend the pellets in 100  $\mu$ L cold 1 mM pH 7.5 Tris-HCl solution. Incubate the mixture for 10 min on ice and centrifuge again for 5 min. Remove the supernatant and inject an aliquot.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** Vydac 214 FSK 54

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m Vydac 214 TP 54 C4

**Mobile phase:** n-Propanol:50 mM pH 7.5 Tris-hydrochloric acid buffer 29:71 (Place a column of 7.9-12.4  $\mu$ m LiChrosorb Si 60 between the pump and injector.)

**Column temperature:** 45

**Flow rate:** 0.5

**Injection volume:** 40-70

**Detector:** UV 220

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 29

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** degradation products

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#### KEY WORDS

comparison with SEC

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#### REFERENCE

Dalmora,S.; Ezequiel de Oliveira,J.; Affonso,R.; Gimbo,E.; Ribela,M.T.C.P.; Bartolini,P. Analysis of recombinant human growth hormone directly in osmotic shock fluids, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1997**, 782, 199-210.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** fermentation broth

**Sample preparation:** Centrifuge 1.5 mL fermentation broth at 16 000 g for 2 min, put the pellet on ice. Re-suspend the pellet in 150  $\mu$ L ice-cold 10 mM pH 7.5 Tris-HCl containing 20% (w/v) sucrose. Add 5  $\mu$ L 500 mM pH 8.0 EDTA, incubate on ice for 10 min. Microcentrifuge the cells and re-suspend the pellets in 100  $\mu$ L cold 1 mM pH 7.5 Tris-HCl solution. Incubate the mixture for 10 min on ice and centrifuge again for 5 min. Remove the supernatant and inject an aliquot.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 75  $\times$  7.5 10  $\mu$ m SW (TosoHaas, USA)

**Column:** 600  $\times$  7.5 G2000SW or 600  $\times$  7.5 G3000SW (TosoHaas, USA)

**Mobile phase:** 25 mM pH 7.0 ammonium bicarbonate

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 10-100

**Detector:** UV 220 or Radioimmunoassay

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 13.93

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** size isomers

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#### KEY WORDS

comparison with RP-HPLC

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#### REFERENCE

Dalmora,S.; Ezequiel de Oliveira,J.; Affonso,R.; Gimbo,E.; Ribela,M.T.C.P.; Bartolini,P. Analysis of recombinant human growth hormone directly in osmotic shock fluids, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1997**, 782, 199-210.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** formulations

**Sample preparation:** Reconstitute somatropin with diluent (Diluent for Humatrope, 5-mL vial, Lilly) to a concentration of 3.33 mg/mL. Dilute 200  $\mu$ L 3.33 mg/mL solution to 800  $\mu$ L with highly purified water, inject a 20  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 300  $\times$  7.5 10  $\mu$ m G3000SW (TosoHaas, Montgomeryville, PA)

**Mobile phase:** 10 mM pH 7.3 Sodium phosphate buffer

**Flow rate:** 0.6

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 214

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 12.5-12.8

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**KEY WORDS**

stability-indicating; injections

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**REFERENCE**

Ray,L.R.; Chen,D.A. Stability of somatropin stored in plastic syringes for 28 days, *Am.J.Health-Syst.Pharm.*, **1998**, *55*, 1508-1511.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** formulations

**Sample preparation:** Reconstitute somatropin with diluent (Diluent for Humatrope, 5-mL vial, Lilly) to a concentration of 3.33 mg/mL. Dilute 200  $\mu$ L 3.33 mg/mL solution to 800  $\mu$ L with water, inject a 20  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 Vydac C4

**Mobile phase:** 1-Propanol:50 mM pH 7.5 Tris buffer 29:71

**Column temperature:** 45

**Flow rate:** 0.5

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 220

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 31.3-36.3

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**KEY WORDS**

stability-indicating; injections

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**REFERENCE**

Ray,L.R.; Chen,D.A. Stability of somatropin stored in plastic syringes for 28 days, *Am.J.Health-Syst.Pharm.*, **1998**, *55*, 1508-1511.

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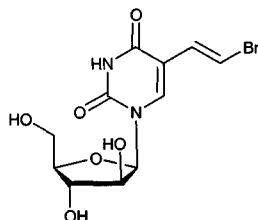
# Sorivudine

**Molecular formula:** C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>13</sub>BrN<sub>2</sub>O<sub>6</sub>

**Molecular weight:** 349.14

**CAS Registry No.:** 77181-69-2

**Merck Index:** 8875



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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 250-500  $\mu\text{L}$  Serum + 100  $\mu\text{L}$  10  $\mu\text{g/mL}$  IS in water, add 5 mL MeCN while mixing, centrifuge. Remove the supernatant and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 50°, reconstitute the residue in 1 mL mobile phase, filter (0.45  $\mu\text{m}$ ), inject an aliquot of the filtrate.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 37-53  $\mu\text{m}$  silica gel (Whatman)

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu\text{m}$  alkyl phenyl (ES Industries)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:buffer 15:5:80 (Buffer was 50 mM ammonium acetate adjusted to pH 5.0 with glacial acetic acid.)

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** UV 295

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 12.5

**Internal standard:** 1- $\beta$ -D-arabinofuranosyl-E-5-(2-chlorovinyl)uracil (10)

**Limit of quantitation:** 20 ng/mL

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** metabolites

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#### KEY WORDS

protect from light; serum; pharmacokinetics

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#### REFERENCE

Whigan,D.B.; Cohen,A.I. High-performance liquid chromatographic determination of 1- $\beta$ -D-arabinofuranosyl-E-5-(2-bromovinyl)uracil and its metabolite (E)-5-(2-bromovinyl)uracil in serum, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1991**, 568, 385-392.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** cell suspensions

**Sample preparation:** Cell suspension + 200  $\mu\text{L}$  ice-cold 4 M perchloric acid, vortex for 1 min, let stand in an ice bath for 5 min, centrifuge at 4° at 2000 g for 10 min. Remove the supernatant and add it to 200  $\mu\text{L}$  150  $\mu\text{g/mL}$  IS, neutralize with 2 M  $\text{K}_2\text{HPO}_4$ , centrifuge at 4° at 2000 g for 10 min. Free-dry the supernatant, reconstitute in water, inject a 10  $\mu\text{L}$  aliquot.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 125  $\times$  4.6 Spherisorb ODS2

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. MeOH:buffer from 25:75 to 50:50 over 24 min. (Buffer was 50 mM  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4$  containing 12.5 mM tetrabutylammonium bromide, adjusted to pH 5 with NaOH. Use a 120  $\times$  4.6 20  $\mu\text{m}$  Partisil column before the injector.)

**Column temperature:** 48

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 10

**Detector:** UV 292

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 5

**Internal standard:** E-5-(2-iodovinyl)-2'-deoxyuridine (8)

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Simultaneous:** metabolites, phosphorylated species

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#### REFERENCE

Ayisi,N.K.; Wall,R.A.; Wanklin,R.J.; Machida,H.; De Clercq,E.; Sacks,S.L. Comparative metabolism of E-5-(2-bromovinyl)-2'-deoxyuridine and 1- $\beta$ -D-arabinofuranosyl-E-5-(2-bromovinyl)uracil in herpes simplex virus-infected cells, *Mol.Pharmacol.*, **1987**, 31, 422-429.

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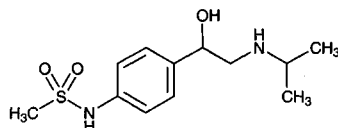
#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** cell suspensions

**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** Chemopack 300-10C18**Mobile phase:** MeOH:10 mM KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> 10:50**Flow rate:** 1**Detector:** UV 290**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 9.64**Limit of detection:** 60 ng/mL**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Simultaneous:** metabolites**REFERENCE**

Suzuki,S.; Machida,H.; Saneyoshi,M. Antiviral activity of various 1-β-D-arabinofuranosyl-*E*-5-halogenovinyluracils and *E*-5-bromovinyl-2'-deoxyuridine against salmon herpes virus, *Oncorhynchus masou* virus (OMV), *Antiviral Res.*, **1987**, 7, 79-86.

# Sotalol

**Molecular formula:** C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S**Molecular weight:** 272.37**CAS Registry No.:** 3930-20-9, 959-24-0 (HCl)**Merck Index:** 8876**Lednicer No.:** 1 66; 5 23**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 100 × 2.1 10 μm Chiralpak AD (Chiral Technologies, Exton, PA)**Mobile phase:** EtOH:n-hexane:isopropanol:diethylamine 28.5:63:8.5:0.17**Column temperature:** 20**Flow rate:** 0.1**Injection volume:** 10**Detector:** MS, SCIEX API 300 tandem mass, positive ion mode, nebulizer 440°, scan 273.0/213.0**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 5.27, 6.58 (enantiomers)**KEY WORDS**

plasma; chiral; small-bore

**REFERENCE**

Alebic-Kolbah,T.; Zavitsanos,A.P. Chiral bioanalysis by normal phase high-performance liquid chromatography-atmospheric pressure ionization tandem mass spectrometry, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1997**, 759, 65-77.

**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** Condition a Baker 10 C18 SPE cartridge with two 1.5 mL aliquots of MeOH and two 1.5 mL aliquots of 170 mM pH 9.4 N,N-bis(2-hydroxyethyl)glycine buffer. 1 mL Serum + 500 μL 500 mM pH 9.4 N,N-bis(2-hydroxyethyl)glycine buffer + 2 μg IS, vortex, add to the SPE cartridge, wash with two 1.5 mL aliquots of 170 mM pH 9.4 N,N-bis(2-hydroxyethyl)glycine buffer, elute with three 1 mL aliquots of MeCN:ethyl acetate 2:1, freeze the eluate in dry ice/MeOH for 5 s. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue in 200 μL mobile phase, inject a 100 μL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250 × 4 5 µm ODS C18 (Altex)

**Mobile phase:** 10 mM K<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub> containing 2 mM nonylamine adjusted to pH 2.4 with phosphoric acid (Apply a conditioning injection of 100 µg sotalol and 100 µg IS at the start of the day.)

**Column temperature:** 40

**Flow rate:** 2

**Injection volume:** 100

**Detector:** UV 235

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 4.5

**Internal standard:** MJ-6564-1 (Bristol Meyers) (3.4)

**Limit of detection:** 20 ng/mL

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Noninterfering:** acetaminophen, N-acetylprocainamide, amikacin, amiodarone, amitriptyline, carbamazepine, desipramine, digoxin, disopyramide, ethosuximide, gentamicin, imipramine, lidocaine, lithium, methotrexate, mexiletine, nortriptyline, phenobarbital, phenytoin, primidone, salicylic acid, theophylline, tobramycin, valproic acid

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**KEY WORDS**

serum; SPE

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**REFERENCE**

Hoyer, G.L. Improved high-performance liquid chromatographic method for the analysis of serum sotalol, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1988**, 427, 181–187.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 1 mL Plasma + 100 µL 2 µg/mL bisoprolol in water + 200 µL pH 9.2 bicine (N,N-bis(2-hydroxyethyl)glycine) + 4 mL ethyl acetate, shake vigorously for 5 min, centrifuge at 2000 g for 5 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 60°, reconstitute the residue in 200 µL MeOH, inject an aliquot of 100 µL or less.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 10 mm long LiChrosorb CN

**Column:** 250 × 4 10 µm LiChrosorb CN

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:isopropanol:1.16 M perchloric acid 75:25:0.5

**Flow rate:** 2.5

**Injection volume:** ≤100

**Detector:** F ex 235 em 310

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 4.4

**Internal standard:** bisoprolol (3.6)

**Limit of detection:** 2 ng/mL

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** verapamil

**Noninterfering:** acebutolol, amiodarone, disopyramide, propafenone, hydroquinidine, quinidine

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**KEY WORDS**

plasma; pharmacokinetics

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**REFERENCE**

Poirier, J.-M.; Lebot, M.; Cheymol, G. Rapid and sensitive column liquid chromatographic determination of sotalol in plasma, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1989**, 493, 409–413.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 500  $\mu\text{L}$  Serum or plasma + 50  $\mu\text{L}$  25  $\mu\text{g/mL}$  atenolol in water + 100  $\mu\text{L}$  buffer + 5 mL dichloromethane:isopropanol, rotate at 40 rpm for 5 min, centrifuge at 800 g for 3 min. Remove the lower organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 55°, reconstitute the residue in 100  $\mu\text{L}$  50 mM sulfuric acid, vortex for 15 s, inject a 30-50  $\mu\text{L}$  aliquot. (Buffer was prepared by adjusting the pH of a saturated solution of disodium tetraborate to 9 with 6 M HCl.)

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 150  $\times$  4.5 5  $\mu\text{m}$  ODS Hypersil

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:10 mM pH 3.2 phosphate buffer 20:80 containing 3 mM sodium 1-octanesulfonate

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 30-50

**Detector:** UV 226

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 5.5

**Internal standard:** atenolol (4.0)

**Limit of detection:** 10 ng/mL

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#### KEY WORDS

serum; plasma

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#### REFERENCE

Urech,R.; Chan,L.; Duffy,P. High-performance liquid chromatographic assay of sotalol: improved procedure and investigation of peak broadening, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1990**, 534, 271-278.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 300  $\mu\text{L}$  Plasma + 50  $\mu\text{L}$  water:70% perchloric acid 75:25, vortex for 30 s, let stand on ice for 5-10 min, vortex, centrifuge at 3500 g for 5 min, add 30  $\mu\text{L}$  4 M  $\text{K}_2\text{HPO}_4$ , shake gently by hand, centrifuge at 2500 g for 2 min, inject a 20  $\mu\text{L}$  aliquot of the supernatant.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4 5  $\mu\text{m}$  C18 glass-lined column (Scientific Glass Engineering)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:80 mM pH 4.6  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  6:94

**Flow rate:** 0.8

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** F ex 235 em 310

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 7.1

**Limit of quantitation:** 80 ng/mL

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Simultaneous:** atenolol

**Noninterfering:** N-acetylprocainamide, disopyramide, flecainide, metoprolol, procainamide, propranolol, quinidine

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#### KEY WORDS

plasma; pharmacokinetics

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#### REFERENCE

Boutagy,J.; Shenfield,G.M. Simplified procedure for the determination of sotalol in plasma by high-performance liquid chromatography, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1991**, 565, 523-528.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** Centrifuge plasma at 5000 rpm for 5 min, dilute the supernatant with an equal volume of water, shake vigorously, inject an aliquot onto column A with mobile phase A and elute to waste with mobile phase A, after 10 min backflush the contents of column A onto

column B with mobile phase B, elute with mobile phase B and monitor the effluent. (Two concentration columns (A) are used, one column is being flushed with mobile phase B then mobile phase A while the other is involved in the analysis.)

#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** A  $40 \times 4.6$  37-50  $\mu\text{m}$  Bondapak Corasil C18; B  $125 \times 4.6$  5  $\mu\text{m}$  ODS (Shandon)  
**Mobile phase:** A water; B MeCN:10 mM  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  30:70 containing 0.135% dodecylsulfonic acid, adjusted to pH 6.0 with dilute phosphoric acid or KOH  
**Column temperature:** 35  
**Flow rate:** 1  
**Injection volume:** 500  
**Detector:** UV 227

#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 10  
**Limit of quantitation:** 10 ng/mL

#### KEY WORDS

plasma; column-switching; pharmacokinetics

#### REFERENCE

Herrmann, R. Automated HPLC assay for sotalol in human plasma, *J. Pharm. Biomed. Anal.*, **1995**, 13, 329–333.

#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** Evaporate 100 (?)  $\mu\text{L}$  10  $\mu\text{g/mL}$  atenolol in MeOH in to the bottom of a tube, add 500  $\mu\text{L}$  plasma, add 200  $\mu\text{L}$  1 M pH 9.3 carbonate buffer, add 6 mL ethyl acetate, shake for 4 min, centrifuge at 1000 g for 4 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under reduced pressure, reconstitute the residue with 2  $\mu\text{L}$  1 M pH 9.3 carbonate buffer and 200  $\mu\text{L}$  0.005% R(-)-1-(1-naphthyl)ethyl isocyanate in chloroform (prepared fresh daily), vortex for 15 s, let stand at room temperature for 1 h, evaporate to dryness with a stream of air, add 200  $\mu\text{L}$  MeCN:water 39:61, vortex for 10 s, let stand at room temperature for 1 h, inject a 10  $\mu\text{L}$  aliquot on to column A and column B in series and elute with mobile phase. Column A is subsequently removed from the circuit and backflushed with MeCN:water 50:50 for 3 min, with MeCN for 12 min, with MeCN:water 50:50 for 7.5 min, and with mobile phase for 7.5 min (this is very unclear in the paper).

#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** A  $75 \times 3.9$  4  $\mu\text{m}$  Nova-Pak C18; B  $100 \times 8$  4  $\mu\text{m}$  Nova-Pak C18 Radial Compression  
**Mobile phase:** MeCN:water 39:61  
**Flow rate:** 1.5  
**Injection volume:** 10  
**Detector:** F ex 280 em 320

#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 23 (+), 26 (-)  
**Internal standard:** atenolol (13)  
**Limit of quantitation:** 10 ng/mL

#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Noninterfering:** metabolites, N-desisopropylpropranolol, 4-hydroxypropranolol, labetalol, 4-methylpropranolol, metoprolol, oxprenolol, pindolol, practolol, propranolol, propranolol glycol, timolol

#### KEY WORDS

plasma; chiral; pharmacokinetics; derivatization; column-switching

#### REFERENCE

Hooper, W.D.; Baker, P.V. Enantioselective analysis of sotalol in plasma by reversed-phase high-performance liquid chromatography using diastereomeric derivatives, *J. Chromatogr. B*, **1995**, 672, 89–96.



**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 2 mL Whole blood or plasma + 2 mL buffer + 5 mL chloroform:isopropanol: n-heptane 60:14:26, shake gently horizontally for 10 min, centrifuge at 2800 g for 10 min. Remove the lower organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under vacuum at 45°, reconstitute the residue in 100 µL mobile phase, centrifuge at 2800 g for 5 min, inject a 50 µL aliquot of the supernatant. (Buffer was saturated ammonium chloride solution 25% diluted with water, adjusted to pH 9.5 with 25% ammonia solution.)

**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 300 × 3.9 4 µm NovaPack C18

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:THF:buffer 65:5:30 (Buffer was 0.68 g/L (10 mM (sic)) KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> adjusted to pH 2.6 with concentrated orthophosphoric acid.) (At the end of each session wash the column with water for 1 h and MeOH for 1 h, re-equilibrate for 30 min.)

**Column temperature:** 30**Flow rate:** 0.8**Injection volume:** 50**Detector:** UV 229**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 3.58**Limit of detection:** <120 ng/mL**KEY WORDS**

whole blood; plasma; interferences may occur—compounds (all of which are extracted) elute in this order tenoxicam; iproniazid; methocarbamol; methotrexate; caffeine; nialamide; colchicine; cytarabine; benzoylcegonine; acetaminophen; diazoxide; dacarbazine; sulfinpyrazole; flumazenil; sulpride; morphine; atenolol; toloxatone; terbutaline; albuterol; phenobarbital; ranitidine; tiapride; phenol; chlormezanone; aspirin; metformin; ritodrine; codeine; sultopride; amisulpride; naltrexone; lisinopril; benzocaine; nizatidine; nalorphine; mephenesin; naloxone; sotalol; carteolol; procainamide; carbamazepine; bromazepam; nalbuphine; nadolol; procarbazine; dihydralazine; omeprazole; strychnine; acebutolol; glutethimide; chlorpropamide; glipizide; triazolam; prazosin; flunitrazepam; clonazepam; metoclopramide; melphalan; estazolam; tolbutamide; ephedrine; clonidine; pindolol; clobazam; minoxidil; disopyramide; nitrazepam; dextromethorphan; tofisopam; zopiclone; debrisoquine; sulindac; alprazolam; cycloguanil; lorazepam; methaqualone; ketamine; piroxicam; metoprolol; nifedipine; quinine; mephentermine; prilocaine; pentazocine; oxazepam; tiaprofenic acid; quinidine; celiprolol; ajmaline; yohimbine; lidocaine; secobarbital; viloxazine; mepivacaine; meperidine; doxylamine; labetalol; temazepam; amodiaquine; nerenidol; droperidol; hydroxychloroquine; zolpidem; ketoprofen; alminoprofen; cicletanine; moclobemide; chloroquine; cocaine; timolol; nomifensine; ticlopidine; acenocoumarol; vandesine; mexiletine; dipyridamole; trazodone; pipamperone; pyrimethamine; benazepril; vincristine; metapramine; chlordiazepoxide; oxprenolol; warfarin; clorazepate; flecainide; phenacyclidine; thiopental; fenfluramine; metipranolol; triprolidine; naproxen; buprenorphine; verapamil; buspirone; tianeptine; midazolam; bupivacaine; carbinoxamine; loprazolam; cetirizine; chlorpheniramine; moperone; cibenzoline; medifoxamine; astemizole; vinblastine; nicardipine; bisoprolol; diltiazem; glibornuride; reserpine; aconitine; nitrendipine; diazepam; mianserin; ramipril; haloperidol; tetracaine; alprenolol; aceprometazine; glibenclamide; chlorophenacinone; doxepin; nimodipine; diphenhydramine; cyclizine; histapyrrrodine; phenylbutazone; demexiptiline; clozapine; proguanil; trifluoperidol; medazepam; cyamemazine; bumadizone; suriclone; propranolol; acepromazine; dothiepin; dextromoramide; fenoprofen; dextropropoxyphene; loxapine; betaxolol; propafenone; promethazine; thiopropazine; methadone; amoxapine; quinupramine; opipramol; cyproheptadine; brompheniramine; mefenidramine; protriptyline; flurbiprofen; tetrazepam; zorubicin; prazepam; alimemazine; loperamide; imipramine; desipramine; levomepromazine; hydroxyzine; niflumic acid; penbutolol; fluvoxamine; pimozide; daunorubicin; indomethacin; maprotiline; tropatenine; etodolac; fluoxetine; amitriptyline; nortriptyline; tiocloamarol; diclofenac; mefloquine; trimipramine; chlorambucil; lidoflazine; ibuprofen; floctafenine; alpidem; loratadine; chlorpromazine; clomipramine; carpipramine; thioridazine; fentiazac; clemastine; mefenamic acid; fluphenazine; prochlorperazine; penfluridol; bepridil; terfenadine; trifluoperazine

**REFERENCE**

Tracqui,A.; Kintz,P.; Mangin,P. Systematic toxicological analysis using HPLC/DAD, *J.Forensic Sci.*, **1995**, *40*, 254–262.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood, tissue

**Sample preparation:** Plasma, whole blood. Condition a Bond-Elut C8 SPE cartridge with MeOH and water. Mix plasma or whole blood, IS, and 50 mM pH 9 borate buffer, add to the SPE cartridge. Wash with water and MeCN. Elute with MeOH. Evaporate the eluate to dryness and reconstitute in 400  $\mu$ L mobile phase. Inject a 50  $\mu$ L aliquot. Tissue. Homogenize (Braun micro-dismembrator) 100 mg tissue with 100  $\mu$ L IS solution and 400  $\mu$ L water while frozen in liquid nitrogen, thaw, rinse twice with 250  $\mu$ L 1 M pH 3 potassium phosphate buffer. Centrifuge at 2740 g at 20° for 20 min, separate supernatant (S1). Extract pellet with 1 mL MeOH for 15 min with sonication. Centrifuge at 20° for 10 min, evaporate the supernatant to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°. Reconstitute residue in 500  $\mu$ L 15 mM pH 3 potassium phosphate buffer add to S1, centrifuge. Suck sample slowly through a Bond-Elut C8 SPE cartridge. Wash twice with water, elute twice with 200  $\mu$ L MeOH, evaporate the eluate to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°. Reconstitute in 500  $\mu$ L mobile phase. Inject a 50  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 17  $\times$  4.5  $\mu$ m Spherisorb C6

**Column:** 150  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m Spherisorb C6

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:15 mM pH 3 potassium phosphate buffer 17:83 (plasma) or 10:90 (tissue, blood)

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** UV 230

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 5.8 (plasma), 7.8 (whole blood, tissue)

**Internal standard:** atenolol (4.4 (plasma), 6.8 (whole blood, tissue))

**Limit of quantitation:** 26.5 ng/mL (whole blood, plasma); 270 ng/g tissue

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**KEY WORDS**

whole blood; plasma; heart; SPE

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**REFERENCE**

Laer,S.; Neumann,J.; Scholz,H.; Uebeler,P.; Zimmermann,N. Determination of sotalol in human cardiac tissue by high-performance liquid chromatography, *J.Chromatogr.B*, **1996**, 681, 291-298.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood, urine

**Sample preparation:** Plasma. 2 mL Plasma + 100  $\mu$ L 100  $\mu$ g/mL procainamide in water + 660  $\mu$ L 2 M perchloric acid, shake briefly, centrifuge at 3000 rpm for 5 min. Remove 1.5 mL of the supernatant and adjust the pH to 9 with 150  $\mu$ L 4 M NaOH and 4 mL 500 mM boric acid/KCl buffer, add 12 mL water-saturated n-pentanol:chloroform 20:60, shake for 20 min, centrifuge at 3000 rpm for 10 min. Remove the organic phase and dry it over anhydrous sodium sulfate, add 8 mL to 300  $\mu$ L 100 mM HCl, shake for 10 min, centrifuge at 3000 rpm for 10 min, inject a 25-100  $\mu$ L aliquot of the aqueous phase. Urine. Dilute urine with pH 9 borate buffer, add 12 mL water-saturated n-pentanol:chloroform 20:60, shake for 20 min, centrifuge at 3000 rpm for 10 min. Remove the organic phase and dry it over anhydrous sodium sulfate, add 8 mL to 300  $\mu$ L 100 mM HCl, shake for 10 min, centrifuge at 3000 rpm for 10 min, inject a 25-100  $\mu$ L aliquot of the aqueous phase.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:**  $\mu$ Bondapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:water:acetic acid 38:61:1 containing 1-heptanesulfonic acid (PIC B7)

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Injection volume:** 25-100

**Detector:** F ex 235 em no filter

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 5.2

**Internal standard:** procainamide (7)

**Limit of detection:** 20 ng/mL

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**KEY WORDS**

plasma; pharmacokinetics

**REFERENCE**

Lefebvre, M.A.; Girault, J.; Saux, M.C.; Fourtillan, J.B. Fluorometric high-performance liquid chromatographic determination of sotalol in biological fluids, *J.Pharm.Sci.*, **1980**, 69, 1216–1217.

**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood, urine

**Sample preparation:** 1 mL Plasma + 200  $\mu$ L 2.5  $\mu$ g/mL S(-)-atenolol + 660  $\mu$ L 2 M perchloric acid, shake briefly, centrifuge at 2000 g for 5 min. Remove 1 mL of the supernatant and adjust the pH to 9 with 1 mL 2 M Tris-HCl buffer and 250  $\mu$ L 2 M NaOH, add 5 mL chloroform:isopropanol 75:25, vortex for 1 min, centrifuge at 2000 g for 10 min, repeat the extraction. Combine the organic layers and dry them over about 3 g anhydrous sodium sulfate, evaporate to dryness under a stream of nitrogen, reconstitute with 200  $\mu$ L saturated sodium carbonate solution, add 200  $\mu$ L 40  $\mu$ L/mL (-)-menthylchloroformate in MeCN (prepare fresh daily), vortex for 30 s, add 1 mL water, add 2 mL chloroform, vortex for 1 min, centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness, reconstitute the residue in 100  $\mu$ L mobile phase, centrifuge for 5 min, inject a 40  $\mu$ L aliquot. Urine. Dilute 1 mL (?) urine 20 times with blank urine, add 200  $\mu$ L 7.5  $\mu$ g/mL S(-)-atenolol, adjust the pH to 9 with 1 mL 2 M Tris-HCl buffer, add 5 mL chloroform:isopropanol 75:25, vortex for 1 min, centrifuge at 2000 g for 10 min, repeat the extraction. Combine the organic layers and dry them over about 3 g anhydrous sodium sulfate, evaporate to dryness under a stream of nitrogen, reconstitute with 200  $\mu$ L saturated sodium carbonate solution, add 200  $\mu$ L 40  $\mu$ L/mL (-)-menthylchloroformate in MeCN (prepare fresh daily), vortex for 30 s, add 1 mL water, add 2 mL chloroform, vortex for 1 min, centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness, reconstitute the residue in 100  $\mu$ L mobile phase, centrifuge for 5 min, inject a 40  $\mu$ L aliquot.

**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m C8 (Jones)**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:water 15:50:35**Flow rate:** 2**Injection volume:** 40**Detector:** F ex 235 nm 300**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 14 (l), 15 (d)**Internal standard:** S(-)-atenolol (12.3)**Limit of detection:** 12.5 ng/mL**Limit of quantitation:** 20 ng/mL**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Simultaneous:** alprenolol, captopril, metoprolol, pindolol, propafenone

**Noninterfering:** acetaminophen, alginic acid, amiloride, amoxicillin, aspirin, diazoxide, digoxin, domperidone, flurazepam, furosemide, glyburide, heparin, hydralazine, hydrochlorothiazide, indapamide, lidocaine, lorazepam, lovastatin, mexiletine, nifedipine, nitroglycerin, omeprazole, oxazepam, procainamide, propranolol, propoxyphene, quinidine, ranitidine, timolol, triamterene, verapamil, warfarin

**KEY WORDS**

plasma; chiral; derivatization

**REFERENCE**

Fiset, C.; Philippon, F.; Gilbert, M.; Turgeon, J. Stereoselective high-performance liquid chromatographic assay for the determination of sotalol enantiomers in biological fluids, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1993**, 612, 231–237.

**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood, urine

**Sample preparation:** Condition a 500 mg Sep-Pak C18 SPE cartridge with 3 mL MeOH and 3 mL 200 mM sodium tetraborate. Dilute urine 10 times with 200 mM sodium tetraborate. Briefly vortex 1 mL plasma with 500  $\mu$ L saturated pH 9.3 sodium tetraborate. Add 1 mL diluted urine or 1.5 mL diluted plasma to the SPE cartridge, wash with 2 mL 20 mM sodium tetra-

borate, wash with 2 mL water, wash with 1 mL dichloromethane, elute with 5 mL isopropanol. Add 100  $\mu$ L 100  $\mu$ g/mL isoamyl p-hydroxybenzoate in MeCN:water 10:90, 100  $\mu$ L 4 mg/mL 2,3,4,6-tetra-O-acetyl- $\beta$ -D-glucopyranosyl isothiocyanate in MeCN, and 100  $\mu$ L 10 mM pH 8.0  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{HPO}_4$  to the eluate, heat at 50° for 3 h, evaporate to dryness under reduced pressure, reconstitute with 200  $\mu$ L mobile phase, inject a 40  $\mu$ L aliquot.

#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** Guard-Pak Resolve C18 (Waters)

**Column:** 150  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m STR ODS II (Shimadzu)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:20 mM pH 4.6  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4$  40:60

**Column temperature:** 25

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 40

**Detector:** UV 225

#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 11.4 ((-)-R), 14.3 ((+)-S)

**Internal standard:** isoamyl p-hydroxybenzoate (25.5)

**Limit of quantitation:** 220 ng/mL (urine), 22 ng/mL (plasma)

#### KEY WORDS

chiral; rat; human; mouse; rabbit; plasma; SPE; derivatization; pharmacokinetics

#### REFERENCE

Shimizu,T.; Hiraoka,M.; Nakanomyo,H. Enantioselective determination of sotalol enantiomers in biological fluids using high-performance liquid chromatography, *J.Chromatogr.B*, **1995**, 674, 77–83.

#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood, urine

**Sample preparation:** Add 1 mL whole blood or urine to Toxi-Tube A (Toxi-Lab, Irvine CA), add 3 mL water, mix by gentle inversion for 5 min, centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue with 50  $\mu$ L MeCN:water 50:50, vortex for 10 s, centrifuge at 7500 g for 2 min, inject a 10 (urine) or 30 (blood)  $\mu$ L aliquot. (The detector wavelength shown is the wavelength of maximum absorbance. This will not necessarily be the optimal wavelength for the separation. Multiple wavelengths from 200-350 nm can be scanned using a diode-array detector. Otherwise, 220 nm may be a reasonable choice for initial work. Matrix may interfere.)

#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 20 mm long Symmetry C18

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m Symmetry C8 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was 50 mM pH 3.8 sodium phosphate buffer. B was MeCN. A:B 85:15 for 6.5 min, 65:35 for 18.5 min, 20:80 for 3 min (step gradient), re-equilibrate at initial conditions for 7 min.

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 1 for 6.5 min, to 1.5 over 18.5 min, maintain at 1.5 for 3 min (re-equilibrate at 1.5 mL/min)

**Injection volume:** 10-30

**Detector:** UV 200.5

#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 3.842

#### KEY WORDS

whole blood

#### REFERENCE

Gaillard,Y.; Pépin,G. Use of high-performance liquid chromatography with photodiode-array UV detection for the creation of a 600-compound library. Application to forensic toxicology, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1997**, 763, 149–163.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** bulk**Sample preparation:** Dissolve 5 mg amino acids in 10 mL MeCN:water:triethylamine 50:50:0.55. Remove a 50  $\mu$ L aliquot and add it to 50  $\mu$ L 0.66% 2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzoyl- $\beta$ -D-glucopyranosyl isothiocyanate (Fluka) in MeCN, shake mechanically for 30 min, add 10  $\mu$ L 0.26% ethanolamine in MeCN, shake for 10 min, make up to 1 mL with MeCN, inject a 10  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 25  $\times$  4 (sic) 5  $\mu$ m LiChrospher 100 RP-18**Mobile phase:** MeOH:water 80:20**Flow rate:** 1**Injection volume:** 10**Detector:** UV 231

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** k' 5.01, k' 6.53 (enantiomers)

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Interfering:** atenolol

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**KEY WORDS**

derivatization; chiral

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**REFERENCE**Lobell,M.; Schneider,M.P. 2,3,4,6-Tetra-O-benzoyl- $\beta$ -D-glucopyranosyl isothiocyanate: an efficient reagent for the determination of enantiomeric purities of amino acids,  $\beta$ -adrenergic blockers and alkyloxiranes by high-performance liquid chromatography using standard reversed-phase columns, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1993**, 633, 287-294.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** formulations**Sample preparation:** Take up in mobile phase, inject an aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 10  $\mu$ m LiChrosorb C2**Mobile phase:** MeCN:buffer 35:65 (1 mL 100 mM HCl + 1200 mL water + 5.84 g NaCl, mix to dissolve, add 700 mL MeOH, make up to 2 L, apparent pH 4.5.)**Flow rate:** 1.2**Injection volume:** 20**Detector:** UV 254

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 8.2

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Simultaneous:** atenolol, nadolol, alprenolol, acebutolol, propranolol, metoprolol, practolol, oxprenolol**Interfering:** pindolol, timolol

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**KEY WORDS**

tablets

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**REFERENCE**Patel,B.R.; Kirschbaum,J.J.; Poet,R.B. High-pressure liquid chromatography of nadolol and other  $\beta$ -adrenergic blocking drugs, *J.Pharm.Sci.*, **1981**, 70, 336-338.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** formulations**Sample preparation:** Dilute 500  $\mu$ L to 10 mL with water. 100  $\mu$ L Diluted sample + 100  $\mu$ L 2.5  $\mu$ g/mL sotalol + 100  $\mu$ L saturated sodium tetraborate adjusted to pH 9 with HCl + 500  $\mu$ L

water + 5 mL dichloromethane:isopropanol 3:1, agitate on mechanical shaker for 5 min, centrifuge at 800 g for 3 min. Evaporate organic layer to dryness at 45° under a stream of nitrogen. Dissolve residue in 200 µL 50 mM sulfuric acid, mix for 30 s, inject a 30 µL aliquot.

#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** Novapak C18 guard insert

**Column:** 100 × 5 Novapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:10 mM potassium phosphate buffer adjusted to pH 3.2 with 0.2 M phosphoric acid 20:80 containing 3 mM 1-octanesulfonic acid

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 30

**Detector:** UV 226

#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 5

**Internal standard:** sotalol

#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Simultaneous:** atenolol

#### KEY WORDS

stability indicating; oral liquid; sotalol is IS

#### REFERENCE

Garner,S.S.; Wiest,D.B.; Reynolds,E.R.,Jr. Stability of atenolol in an extemporaneously compounded oral liquid, *Am.J.Hosp.Pharm.*, **1994**, 51, 508-511.

#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Prepare a 10 µg/mL solution in MeOH, inject a 20 µL aliquot.

#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 125 × 4.9 Spherisorb S5W silica

**Mobile phase:** MeOH containing 10 mM ammonium perchlorate and 1 mL/L 100 mM NaOH in MeOH, pH 6.7

**Flow rate:** 2

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** E, LeCarbone, V25 glassy carbon electrode, + 1.2 V

#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 1.9

#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Also analyzed:** acebutolol, acepromazine, acetophenazine, N-acetylprocainamide, albuterol, alprenolol, amethocaine, amiodarone, amitriptyline, antazoline, atenolol, azacyclonal, bamethan, benactyzine, benperidol, benzethidine, benzocaine, benzocetamine, benzphetamine, benzquinamide, bromhexine, bromodiphenhydramine, bromperidol, brompheniramine, brompromazine, buclizine, bufotenine, bupivacaine, buprenorphine, butacaine, butethamate, chlorcyclizine, chlorpheniramine, chlorphenoxamine, chlorprenaline, chlorpromazine, chlorprothixene, cimetidine, cinchonidine, cinnarizine, clemastine, clomipramine, clonidine, cocaine, cyclazocine, cyclozine, cyclopentamine, cyproheptadine, deserpidine, desipramine, dextromoramide, dextropropoxyphene, dicyclomine, diethylcarbamazepine, diethylpropion, diethylthiambutene, dihydroergotamine, dimethindene, dimethothiazine, diphenhydramine, diphenoxylate, dipiprone, diprenorphine, dipyrindamole, disopyramide, dothiepin, doxapram, doxepin, doxylamine, droperidol, ephedrine, ergocornine, ergocristine, ergocristinine, ergocryptine, ergometrine, ergosine, ergosinine, ergotamine, ethopropazine, etorphine, etoxeridine, fenethazine, fenfluramine, fenoterol, fentanyl, flavoxate, flupromazine, flupenthixol, fluphenazine, flurazepam, haloperidol, hydroxyzine, hyoscine, ibogaine, imipramine, indapamine, iprindole, isothipendyl, isoxsuprine, ketanserine, laudanosine, lidocaine, lofepramine, loxapine, maprotiline, mecamlamine, meclorphenoxate, meclozine, medazepam, mephentermine, mepivacaine, meptazinol, mepyramine, mesoridazine, metaraminol, methadone, methamphetamine, methapyrilene, methdilazene, methotrimeprazine, methoxamine, methoxyphenamine, methoxypromazine,

methylephedrine, methylergonovine, methysergide, metoclopramide, metopimazine, metoprolol, mianserin, morazone, nadolol, nalorphine, naloxone, naphazoline, nicotine, nifedipine, nomifensine, nortriptyline, noscapine, orphenadrine, oxeladin, oxprenolol, oxymetazolin, papaverine, pargyline, pecazine, penbutolol, pentazocine, penthienate, pericyazine, perphenazine, phenadoxone, phenampromide, phenazocine, phenbutrazate, phendimetrazine, phenelzine, phenglutarimide, phenindamine, pheniramine, phenmetrazine, phenomorphan, phenoperidine, phenothiazine, phenoxybenzamine, phentolamine, phenylephrine, phenyltoloxamine, physostigmine, piminodine, pimozone, pindolol, pipamazine, pipazethate, piperacetazine, piperidolate, pipradol, pirenzepine, piritramide, pizotifen, practolol, pramoxine, prazosin, prenylamine, prilocaine, primaquine, proadifen, procainamide, procaine, prochlorperazine, procyclidine, proheptazine, prolantane, promazine, promethazine, pronethalol, properidine, propiomazine, propranolol, prothipendyl, protriptyline, proxymetacaine, pseudoephedrine, pyrimethamine, quinidine, quinine, ranitidine, rescinnamine, tacrine, terazosin, terbutaline, terfenadine, thenyldiamine, theophylline, thiethylperazine, thiopropazate, thioproperazine, thioridazine, thiothixene, thonzylamine, timolol, tocanide, tolpropamine, tolycaine, tranlylcypromine, trazodone, trifluoperazine, trifluoperidol, trimeperidine, trimeprazine, trimethobenzamide, trimethoprim, trimipramine, tripeleennamine, triprolidine, tryptamine, verapamil, xylometazoline

## REFERENCE

Jane, I.; McKinnon, A.; Flanagan, R. J. High-performance liquid chromatographic analysis of basic drugs on silica columns using non-aqueous ionic eluents. II. Application of UV, fluorescence and electrochemical oxidation detection, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1985**, *323*, 191-225.

## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** solutions

## HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 amylose tris(3,5-dimethylphenylcarbamate)

**Mobile phase:** Hexane:isopropanol:diethylamine 80:20:0.1

**Flow rate:** 0.5

**Detector:** UV

## CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 16 (+), 24 (-)

## KEY WORDS

chiral

## REFERENCE

Okamoto, Y.; Aburatani, R.; Hatano, K.; Hatada, K. Optical resolution of racemic drugs by chiral HPLC on cellulose and amylose tris(phenylcarbamate) derivatives, *J. Liq. Chromatogr.*, **1988**, *11*, 2147-2163.

## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Evaporate an aliquot of a solution in MeCN containing 625 ng drug to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at room temperature, add 200 µL saturated sodium carbonate, add 200 µL 4% (-)-menthyl chloroformate in MeCN, vortex for 30 s, add an excess amount of 4-hydroxy-L-proline, vortex for 30 s, centrifuge for 3 min, inject a 10-25 µL aliquot of the upper layer.

## HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 50 × 4.6 Pellicular ODS (Whatman)

**Column:** 100 × 4.6 5 µm Partisil 5 ODS3

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:water 60:40

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 10-25

**Detector:** F ex 232 em no emission filter

## CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 28 (-), 31 (+)

**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Simultaneous:** metaproterenol**KEY WORDS**

derivatization; chiral

**REFERENCE**Mehvar, R. Stereospecific liquid chromatographic analysis of racemic adrenergic drugs utilizing precolumn derivatization with (-)-menthyl chloroformate, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1989**, 493, 402–408.**SAMPLE****Matrix:** solutions**Sample preparation:** Inject an aliquot of a 200  $\mu$ M solution in MeOH.**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 100  $\times$  4.7 7  $\mu$ m Hypercarb (Shandon)**Mobile phase:** MeOH containing 5 mM N-benzyloxycarbonylglycyl-L-proline and 4.5 mM NaOH**Column temperature:** 17**Injection volume:** 20**Detector:** UV 270**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** k' 9.8 (first enantiomer)**KEY WORDS**chiral;  $\alpha = 1.13$ **REFERENCE**Huynh, N.-H.; Karlsson, A.; Pettersson, C. Enantiomeric separation of basic drugs using N-benzyloxycarbonylglycyl-L-proline as counter ion in methanol, *J. Chromatogr. A*, **1995**, 705, 275–287.**SAMPLE****Matrix:** solutions**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 150  $\times$  4.6 12  $\mu$ m 1-myristoyl-2-[(13-carboxyl)-tridecyl]-sn-3-glycerophosphocholine chemically bonded to silica (Regis)**Mobile phase:** MeCN:100 mM pH 7.0 phosphate buffer 20:80**Flow rate:** 1**Detector:** UV 254**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** k' 0.71**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Also analyzed:** acebutolol, alprenolol, antazoline, atenolol, betaxolol, bisoprolol, bopindolol, bupranolol, carteolol, celiprolol, chlorpyramine, chlorpheniramine, cicloprolol, cimetidine, cinarizine, cirazoline, clonidine, dilevalol, dimethindene, diphenhydramine, doxazosin, esmolol, famotidine, isothipendyl, ketotifen, metiamide, metoprolol, moxonidine, nadolol, naphazoline, nifenalol, nizatidine, oxprenolol, pheniramine, phentolamine, pindolol, pizotyline (pizotifen), practolol, prazosin, promethazine, propranolol, pyrilamine (mepyramine), ranitidine, roxatidine, tiamenidine, timolol, tramazoline, tripeleminamine, triprolidine, tymazoline, UK-14,304**REFERENCE**Kaliszan, R.; Nasal, A.; Turowski, M. Binding site for basic drugs on  $\alpha_1$ -acid glycoprotein as revealed by chemometric analysis of biochromatographic data, *Biomed. Chromatogr.*, **1995**, 9, 211–215.**SAMPLE****Matrix:** solutions



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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 µm Supelcosil LC-DP (A) or 250 × 4.5 µm LiChrospher 100 RP-8 (B)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:0.025% phosphoric acid:buffer 25:10:5 (A) or 60:25:15 (B) (Buffer was 9 mL concentrated phosphoric acid and 10 mL triethylamine in 900 mL water, adjust pH to 3.4 with dilute phosphoric acid, make up to 1 L.)

**Flow rate:** 0.6

**Injection volume:** 25

**Detector:** UV 229

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 5.96 (A), 3.41 (B)

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Also analyzed:** acebutolol, acepromazine, acetaminophen, acetazolamide, acetophenazine, albuterol, alprazolam, amitriptyline, amobarbital, amoxapine, antipyrine, atenolol, atropine, azatadine, baclofen, benzocaine, bromocriptine, brompheniramine, brotizolam, bupivacaine, buspirone, butabarbital, butalbital, caffeine, carbamazepine, cetirizine, chlorcyclizine, chlordi-azepoxide, chlormezanone, chloroquine, chlorpheniramine, chlorpromazine, chlorpropamide, chlorprothixene, chlorthalidone, chlorzoxazone, cimetidine, cisapride, clomipramine, clonazepam, clonidine, clozapine, cocaine, codeine, colchicine, cyclizine, cyclobenzaprine, dantrolene, desipramine, diazepam, diclofenac, diflunisal, diltiazem, diphenhydramine, diphenidol, diphenoxylate, dipyrindamole, disopyramide, dobutamine, doxapram, doxepin, droperidol, encainide, ethidium bromide, ethopropazine, fenoprofen, fentanyl, flavoxate, fluoxetine, fluphenazine, flurazepam, flurbiprofen, fluvoxamine, furosemide, glutethimide, glyburide, guaifenesin, haloperidol, homatropine, hydralazine, hydrochlorothiazide, hydrocodone, hydromorphone, hydroxy-chloroquine, hydroxyzine, ibuprofen, imipramine, indomethacin, ketoconazole, ketoprofen, ketorolac, labetalol, levorphanol, lidocaine, loratadine, lorazepam, lovastatin, loxapine, mazin-dol, mefenamic acid, meperidine, mephentoin, mepivacaine, mesoridazine, metaproterenol, metformin, methadone, methdilazine, methocarbamol, methotrexate, methotrimeprazine, methoxamine, methyl dopa, methylphenidate, metoclopramide, metolazone, metoprolol, met-ronidazole, midazolam, moclobemide, morphine, nadolol, nalbuphine, naloxone, naphazoline, naproxen, nifedipine, nizatidine, norepinephrine, nortriptyline, oxazepam, oxycodone, oxymet-azoline, paroxetine, pemoline, pentazocine, pentobarbital, pentoxifylline, perphenazine, phen-iramine, phenobarbital, phenol, phenolphthalein, phentolamine, phenylbutazone, phenyltolox-amine, phenytoin, pimozide, pindolol, piroxicam, pramoxine, prazepam, prazosin, probenecid, procainamide, procaine, prochlorperazine, procyclidine, promazine, promethazine, propafenone, propantheline, propiomazine, propofol, propranolol, protriptyline, quazepam, quinidine, qui-nine, racemethorphan, ranitidine, remoxipride, risperidone, salicylic acid, scopolamine, seco-barbital, sertraline, spironolactone, sulfipyrazone, sulindac, temazepam, terbutaline, terfen-adine, tetracaine, theophylline, thiethylperazine, thiopental, thioridazine, thiothixene, timolol, tocainide, tolbutamide, tolmetin, trazodone, triamterene, triazolam, trifluoperazine, trifluopro-mazine, trimeprazine, trimethoprim, trimipramine, verapamil, warfarin, xylometazoline, yo-himbine, zopiclone

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**KEY WORDS**

details of plasma extraction

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**REFERENCE**

Koves, E.M. Use of high-performance liquid chromatography-diode array detection in forensic toxicology, *J. Chromatogr. A*, **1995**, 692, 103–119.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 33 × 4.6 3 µm Pecosphere CR C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:water acidified to pH 2.7 18:2:80 containing 2 g/L sodium octanesulfonate

**Flow rate:** 4

**Injection volume:** 10

**Detector:** UV 228

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 0.8

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Simultaneous:** impurities

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**KEY WORDS**

high-speed

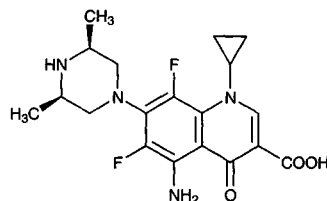
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Muller, M.C.; Caude, M.; Dauphin, J.F.; Lecointre, L.; Saint-Germain, J. Use of high speed liquid chromatography (HSLC) in the pharmaceutical industry. Practical aspects and limitations, *Chromatographia*, **1995**, *40*, 394–398.

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# Sparfloxacin

**Molecular formula:**  $C_{19}H_{22}F_2N_4O_3$ **Molecular weight:** 392.41**CAS Registry No.:** 110871-86-8**Merck Index:** 8884

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** aqueous humor, blood, vitreous humor

**Sample preparation:** Plasma. Acidify plasma with 200  $\mu$ L 1 M HCl. Filter (Amicon MPS1) while centrifuging at 1000 g for 1 h, inject a 500  $\mu$ L aliquot of the ultrafiltrate. Vitreous humor. Filter (Amicon MPS1) while centrifuging at 1000 g for 1 h. Acidify ultrafiltrate with one tenth the volume of 330 mM HCl, inject a 200  $\mu$ L aliquot. Aqueous humor. Filter (Amicon MPS1) while centrifuging at 1000 g for 1 h. Acidify ultrafiltrate with one tenth the volume of 100 mM HCl, inject a 100  $\mu$ L aliquot

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Guard column:** Corasil C18**Column:**  $\mu$ Bondapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:buffer 13.6:86.4 (Buffer was 25 mM phosphoric acid adjusted to pH 3.0 with tetrabutylammonium hydroxide.)

**Flow rate:** 1.5**Injection volume:** 100–500**Detector:** UV 313 (aqueous humor), UV 365 (vitreous humor, plasma)

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Limit of detection:** 10 ng/mL

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**KEY WORDS**

plasma; ultrafiltrate; pharmacokinetics

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**REFERENCE**

Bron, A.M.; Pechinot, A.P.; Garcher, C.P.; Guyonnet, G.A.; Kazmierczak, A.M.; Schott, D.A.; Lecoeur, H. The ocular penetration of oral sparfloxacin in humans, *Am. J. Ophthalmol.*, **1994**, *117*, 322–327.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** Add 100  $\mu$ L 50  $\mu$ g/mL IS solution and 2 mL pH 7.5 phosphate buffer to 250  $\mu$ L plasma. Extract twice with 5 mL portions of ethyl acetate. Evaporate the organic layer. Reconstitute the residue with mobile phase and inject an aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 Partisil C8

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:2 mM phosphoric acid:triethylamine 15:85:0.15, pH 3.0

**Flow rate:** 1

**Detector:** UV 308

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 20

**Internal standard:** ciprofloxacin (10)

**Limit of quantitation:** 200 ng/mL

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**KEY WORDS**

plasma

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**REFERENCE**

Bhatti,M.M.; Hanson,G.D. Determination of cisapride in human plasma by high-performance liquid chromatography with ultraviolet detection (Abstract 2504), *Pharm.Res.*, **1997**, *14*, S378.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** Filter 1 mL plasma using a micropartition system (MPS-1, Amicon, MA) while centrifuging at 2000 g for 20 min at 10°, inject an aliquot of the ultrafiltrate..

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 Spherisorb ODS-2 endcapped

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:buffer 20:80 containing 5 mM tetrabutylammonium sulfate, adjusted to pH 2.5 with 1 M NaOH (Buffer was 100 mM citric acid containing 200 mM ammonium perchlorate.)

**Column temperature:** 37

**Flow rate:** 1

**Detector:** UV 299

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 8.46

**Internal standard:** rosoxacin (5.73)

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**KEY WORDS**

plasma; ultrafiltrate

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**REFERENCE**

Zlotos,G.; Bucker,A.; Kinzig-Schippers,M.; Sorgel,F.; Holzgrave,U. Plasma protein binding of gyrase inhibitors, *J.Pharm.Sci.*, **1998**, *87*, 215–220.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood, CSF, tissue

**Sample preparation:** Homogenize rat brain in 4 volumes water. 0.05-1 mL Whole blood, serum, CSF or brain homogenate + 1 mL 400 ng/mL IS in 100 mM pH 7.4 phosphate buffer + 5 mL dichloromethane:diethyl ether 80:20, shake for 10 min, centrifuge. Remove 4 mL of the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under vacuum, reconstitute the residue in 100 µL mobile phase, inject a 20 µL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 150 × 6 5 µm YMC Pack A-312 (YMC)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:5% acetic acid 15:15:70

**Column temperature:** 40

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 364

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Internal standard:** 5-amino-7-(3-amino-3-ethyl-1-pyrrolidinyl)-1-cyclopropyl-6,8-difluoro-1,4-dihydro-4-oxoquinoline-3-carboxylic acid

**Limit of detection:** 5 ng/mL

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**KEY WORDS**

rat; serum; brain; pharmacokinetics

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**REFERENCE**

Naora,K.; Katagiri,Y.; Iwamoto,K.; Tanaka,K.; Yamaguchi,T.; Sekine,Y. Effect of fenbufen on the pharmacokinetics of sparfloxacin in rats, *J.Antimicrob.Chemother.*, **1992**, 30, 673-683.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood, CSF, tissue

**Sample preparation:** Homogenize brain tissue in 20 mM sodium phosphate buffer. Add an equal volume of 4% perchloric acid to homogenate, serum, or CSF, vortex, centrifuge, filter (0.45  $\mu$ m), add IS, inject an aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:**  $\mu$ Bondapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:5% acetic acid 11:15:74

**Flow rate:** 3

**Injection volume:** 100

**Detector:** UV 364

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Internal standard:** RP41983 (Rhône Poulenc)

**Limit of detection:** 150 ng/mL

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**KEY WORDS**

brain; serum; pharmacokinetics

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**REFERENCE**

Davey,P.G.; Charter,M.; Kelly,S.; Varma,T.R.K.; Jacobson,I.; Freeman,A.; Precious,E.; Lambert,J. Ciprofloxacin and sparfloxacin penetration into human brain tissue and their activity as antagonists of GABAA receptor of rat vagus nerve, *Antimicrob.Agents Chemother.*, **1994**, 38, 1356-1362.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood, feces, urine

**Sample preparation:** Serum. 500  $\mu$ L Serum + 100  $\mu$ L 50 ng/mL ofloxacin in water + 1 mL MeCN, shake mechanically for 30 s, centrifuge at 10000 g for 5 min. Remove 1.5 mL of the supernatant and evaporate it to dryness under reduced pressure at 40°, reconstitute the residue in 300  $\mu$ L mobile phase, inject a 25  $\mu$ L aliquot. Urine. Dilute urine with 4 volumes buffer, inject a 50  $\mu$ L aliquot. Feces. Suspend 100 mg of feces in 9 mL mobile phase, shake for 15 min, centrifuge at 1500 g for 10 min, repeat the extraction twice more, inject a 25  $\mu$ L aliquot of each extract.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 30  $\times$  4 30-40  $\mu$ m Perisorb RP-18 (Merck)

**Column:** 125  $\times$  4 5  $\mu$ m Nucleosil 100 SA

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:buffer 75:25 adjusted to pH 3.82 with concentrated phosphoric acid, final sodium concentration 23 mM (Buffer was 6.74 mL concentrated phosphoric acid and 40 mL 2 M NaOH made up to 990 mL with water, adjust pH to 2.92 with concentrated phosphoric acid, make up to 1 L with water.)

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Injection volume:** 25-50

**Detector:** F ex 295 em 525

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 4.7

**Internal standard:** ofloxacin (8.0)

**Limit of detection:** 140 ng/mL (feces), 460 ng/mL (urine), 50 ng/mL (serum)

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**KEY WORDS**

serum; protect from light

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**REFERENCE**

Borner,K.; Borner,E.; Lode,H. Determination of sparfloxacin in serum and urine by high-performance liquid chromatography, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1992**, 579, 285–289.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood, intestinal efflux

**Sample preparation:** Intestinal efflux. Freeze intestinal efflux at -80°, lyophilize, reconstitute with 1 mL ofloxacin in MeOH:100 mM phosphoric acid 50:50, centrifuge at 3000 rpm for 10 min, inject a 20 µL aliquot. Serum. Deproteinize serum with MeOH containing ofloxacin, extract with dichloromethane at pH 7.5.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 150 × 3.9 Novapack C18

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:buffer 35:65 (Buffer was 10 mM pH 3.0 potassium phosphate buffer containing 25 mM sodium heptanesulfonate (PIC B7) and 20 mM triethylamine.)

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 364

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Internal standard:** ofloxacin

**Limit of detection:** 100 ng/mL

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**KEY WORDS**

serum; rat

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**REFERENCE**

Rubinstein,E.; Dautrey,S.; Farinoti,R.; St.Julien,L.; Ramon,J.; Carbon,C. Intestinal elimination of sparfloxacin, feroxacin, and ciprofloxacin in rats, *Antimicrob.Agents Chemother.*, **1995**, 39, 99–102.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood, tissue

**Sample preparation:** Homogenize (Ultra-Turrax T25) mouse lung in 1-3 mL pH 6.8 Soerensen phosphate buffer, centrifuge. Extract serum or lung homogenate supernatant, extract using a Bond Elut C2 SPE cartridge, inject a 100 µL aliquot of the extract.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 150 × 4.6 5 µm Ultrabase C8 (SFCC, Neuilly Plaisance, France)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:5% acetic acid 15:10:75

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 100

**Detector:** UV 280

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 6

**Internal standard:** sparfloxacin

**Limit of detection:** 15 ng

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** temafloxacin

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**KEY WORDS**

serum; lung; mouse; pharmacokinetics; SPE; sparfloxacin is IS

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**REFERENCE**

Vallée,E.; Azoulay-Dupuis,E.; Bauchet,J.; Pocidallo,J.-J. Kinetic disposition of temafloxacin and ciprofloxacin in a murine model of pneumococcal pneumonia. Relevance for drug efficacy, *J.Pharmacol.Exp.Ther.*, **1992**, 262, 1203–1208.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood, urine

**Sample preparation:** Plasma. Condition an AASP SPE cartridge (Varian) with MeOH. Centrifuge plasma at 1000 g for 10 min. 500  $\mu$ L Plasma + 50  $\mu$ L 20  $\mu$ g/mL IS, add to the SPE cartridge, wash with water, elute the contents of the SPE cartridge onto the analytical column with mobile phase. Urine. Add internal standard, inject an aliquot directly. Hydrolyze conjugates with 1 M NaOH for 10 min.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 150  $\times$  6 Asahi PAK OD1,50 reverse phase

**Mobile phase:** 5% methanol-acetonitrile-acetic acid (11.6/11.6/76.8) (sic) [Perhaps MeCN:MeOH:5% acetic acid 11.6:11.6:76.8]

**Detector:** UV 364

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Internal standard:** 1-ethyl-6-chloro-1,4-dihydro-7-(4-methyl-1-piperazinyl)-4-oxoquinoline-3-carboxylic acid

**Limit of quantitation:** 250 ng/mL (urine), 15 ng/mL (plasma)

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#### KEY WORDS

plasma; SPE; pharmacokinetics

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#### REFERENCE

Fillastre,J.P.; Montay,G.; Bruno,R.; Etienne,I.; Dhib,M.; Vivier,N.; Le Roux,Y.; Guimart,C.; Gay,G.; Schott,D. Pharmacokinetics of sparfloxacin in patients with renal impairment, *Antimicrob.Agents Chemother.*, **1994**, 38, 733-737.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** growth medium

**Sample preparation:** 500  $\mu$ L Sample + 500  $\mu$ L 100  $\mu$ g/mL IS in cold (4°) MeCN, vortex, centrifuge at 3000 g for 5 min. Remove a 500  $\mu$ L aliquot of the supernatant, filter (0.45  $\mu$ m Acrodisc syringe filter), inject a 30  $\mu$ L aliquot. (Protect all specimens from light.)

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** C18 5U (Alltech)

**Column:** 150  $\times$  4.6 7  $\mu$ m Adsorbosphere HS C18 7U

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:20 mM pH 3.0 phosphate buffer 35:65 containing 0.2% triethylamine and 0.2% sodium dodecyl sulfate, adjusted to pH 3.0 with 85% phosphoric acid

**Flow rate:** 1.75

**Injection volume:** 30

**Detector:** UV 280

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 7.09

**Internal standard:** ciprofloxacin (4.67)

**Limit of quantitation:** 100 ng/mL

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Also analyzed:** ciprofloxacin, clinafloxacin, levofloxacin, ofloxacin, temafloxacin, trovafloxacin

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#### KEY WORDS

Mueller-Hinton broth

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#### REFERENCE

Wright,D.H.; Herman,V.K.; Konstantinides,F.N.; Rotschafer,J.C. Determination of quinolone antibiotics in growth media by reversed-phase high-performance liquid chromatography, *J.Chromatogr.B*, **1998**, 709, 97-104.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** microsomal incubations

**Sample preparation:** Centrifuge 250  $\mu$ L microsomal incubation at 13000 g for 5 min, neutralize perchloric acid lysates with 1 M potassium carbonate, add IS, inject an aliquot directly.

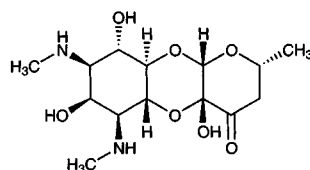
**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** Asahipack ODP 50**Mobile phase:** Gradient. MeCN:water from 10:90 to 40:60 over 10 min**Detector:** UV**CHROMATOGRAM****Internal standard:** ciprofloxacin**REFERENCE**

Rispol,P.; Grellet,J.; Celerier,C.; Breilh,D.; Dorian,M.; Pellegrin,J.L.; Saux,M.C.; Leng,B. Comparative uptake of sparfloxacin and ciprofloxacin into human THP 1 monocytic cells, *Arzneimittelforschung*, **1996**, *46*, 316–319.

**SAMPLE****Matrix:** solution**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 250 × 4 ODS (Hitachi)**Mobile phase:** MeCN:50 mM phosphoric acid 35:65 containing 300 mM KCl**Column temperature:** 55**Flow rate:** 0.6**Injection volume:** 20**Detector:** UV 291**REFERENCE**

Sugawara,M.; Takekuma,Y; Yamada,H.; Kobayashi,M.; Iseki,K.; Miyazaki,K. A general approach for the prediction of the intestinal absorption of drugs: regression analysis using the physicochemical properties and drug-membrane electrostatic interactions, *J.Pharm.Sci.*, **1998**, *87*, 960–966.

# Spectinomycin

**Molecular formula:** C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>24</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub>**Molecular weight:** 332.35**CAS Registry No.:** 1695-77-8, 22189-32-8 (di HCl pentahydrate), 21736-83-4 (di HCl)**Merck Index:** 8890**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 100 µL Plasma + 400 µL MeCN:trifluoroacetic acid 97:3, vortex, centrifuge at 2000 g for 3 min. Remove a 250 µL aliquot of the supernatant and add it to 200 µL 5 mg/mL 2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazine in MeCN, mix, heat at 70° for 1 h, cool on ice for 2 min, add 30 µL acetone, mix, heat at 70° for 10 min, cool on ice, filter (Ultrafree MC 30000 molecular weight limit) while centrifuging at 2000 g, inject a 20 µL aliquot of the filtrate.

**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 33 × 4.6 3 µm Pecosphere C18 CR

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was MeCN:water 60:40. B was MeCN:MeOH 19:1. A:B 100:0 for 1 min, to 0:100 over 10 min, maintain at 0:100 for 2 min, re-equilibrate at initial conditions for 10 min.

**Flow rate:** 1.2**Injection volume:** 20**Detector:** UV 405**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 9**Limit of quantitation:** 2 µg/mL

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**KEY WORDS**

plasma; turkey; derivatization

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**REFERENCE**

Burton, S.D.; Hutchins, J.E.; Fredericksen, T.L.; Ricks, C.; Tyczkowski, J.K. High-performance liquid chromatographic method for the determination of spectinomycin in turkey plasma, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1991**, 571, 209–216.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** Condition a 3 mL C18 SPE cartridge (J.T. Baker) with 3 mL MeOH, 2 mL 20 mM sodium diethylsulfosuccinate (slowly!), and 3 mL 20 mM pH 5.6 citric acid, do not allow to go dry. 2 mL Plasma + 8 mL water + 625  $\mu$ L MeOH, adjust pH to 5.2–5.7 with about 60  $\mu$ L 1 M HCl, vortex for 30 s, centrifuge at 2500 g for 10 min, remove the supernatant, resuspend the solid in 3 mL 20 mM pH 5.6 citric acid, centrifuge. Combine the supernatants and add them to the SPE cartridge at 1–2 mL/min, wash with two 3 mL portions of 20 mM pH 5.6 citric acid, allow to go dry. Centrifuge the SPE cartridge at 3000 g for 15 min, dry with a stream of nitrogen for 20 min, elute with 3 mL MeOH at 2 drops/s. Evaporate the eluate to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at room temperature, reconstitute the residue in 2 mL 10 g/L sodium bicarbonate containing 100  $\mu$ L/L 1-methylpyrrole, vortex for 30 s, add 3 mL 12 mg/mL 2-naphthalenesulfonyl chloride in MeCN (prepare just before derivatization), vortex for 30 s, heat at 100° for 15 min, cool to room temperature, add 1 mL n-butyl chloride, vortex twice for 20 s, centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min. Remove 2 mL of the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at room temperature, reconstitute the residue in 1 mL n-butyl chloride, vortex for 30 s, centrifuge at 2500 g for 10 min, inject a 50  $\mu$ L aliquot onto column A and elute to waste with mobile phase A, after 8 min divert the effluent from column A containing spectinomycin onto column B, after 2 min remove column A from the circuit, elute column B with mobile phase B, monitor the effluent from column B. Backflush column A with mobile phase A for 15 min.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** A 10  $\times$  2.1 40  $\mu$ m pellicular silica + 100  $\times$  3 5  $\mu$ m Chromspher silica glass cartridge (Chrompack); B two 100  $\times$  3 5  $\mu$ m Chromspher silica glass cartridges in series (Chrompack)

**Mobile phase:** A Dichloromethane:MeCN:ethyl acetate:acetic acid 75:7.5:1.8:0.425; B Dichloromethane:MeCN:ethyl acetate:acetic acid 100:20:3.6:0.85

**Flow rate:** A 0.4; B 0.6

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** UV 250

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 14

**Limit of quantitation:** 40 ng/mL

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**KEY WORDS**

derivatization; cow; calf; chicken; pig; plasma; SPE; use glass not plastic tubes; column-switching; heart-cut; normal phase

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**REFERENCE**

Haagsma, N.; Keegstra, J.R.; Scherpenisse, P. High-performance liquid chromatographic determination of spectinomycin in swine, calf and chicken plasma, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1993**, 615, 289–295.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** Condition a 3 mL High-hydrophobic C18 SPE cartridge (J.T. Baker) with 3 mL MeOH, 2 mL 20 mM sodium diethyl sulfosuccinate (homogenize before use, pass slowly through cartridge), and 4 mL 20 mM pH 5.6 citric acid buffer, do not allow to go dry. 2 mL Plasma + 8 mL water + 625  $\mu$ L MeOH, adjust pH to 5.2–5.7 with ca. 60  $\mu$ L 1 M HCl, vortex for 30 s, centrifuge at 2500 g for 10 min, remove the supernatant, rinse the residue with 3 mL citric acid buffer, centrifuge. Combine the rinse and the supernatant and add them to the SPE cartridge at 1–2 mL/min, wash with two 3 mL portions of citric acid buffer, allow to run dry. Centrifuge the SPE cartridge at 3000 g for 20 min then dry it in a stream of nitrogen for 20 min, elute with 4 mL MeOH, evaporate the eluate to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at



room temperature, reconstitute with 1 mL MeOH:water 20:80, vortex, centrifuge at 2500 g for 10 min, inject a 50  $\mu$ L aliquot of the supernatant.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 10  $\times$  4.6 cation-exchange (Phase-Sep)

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m Spherisorb SCX

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:100 mM pH 2.6 sodium sulfate 20:80

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** F ex 340 em 460 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with reagent A pumped at 0.25 mL/min and reagent B pumped at 0.75 mL/min and the mixture flowed through a 2.2 m  $\times$  0.5 mm i.d. coil at 70°. The effluent from the coil was mixed with reagent C pumped at 1 mL/min and this mixture flowed through a 1.7 m  $\times$  0.3 mm i.d. PTFE coil at 25° to the detector. Reagent A was prepared by adding 10 mL sodium hypochlorite solution (13% active chlorine) and 10 mL 100 mM pH 7.0 potassium phosphate buffer to 980 mL water. Reagent B was 400 mM pH 10.2 boric acid buffer prepared by dissolving 24.4 g boric acid and 20.0 g KOH in 1 L water. Reagent C was prepared by adding 10 mL 80 mg/mL o-phthalaldehyde in EtOH and 1 mL 2-mercaptoethanol to 990 mL 300 mM pH 10.2 boric acid buffer. (The 300 mM pH 10.2 boric acid buffer was prepared by dissolving 18.55 g boric acid and 15.0 g KOH in 1 L water.)

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 9

**Limit of quantitation:** 60 ng/mL

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**KEY WORDS**

pig; cow; chicken; plasma; SPE; post-column reaction

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**REFERENCE**

Haagsma,N.; Scherpenisse,P.; Simmonds,R.J.; Wood,S.A.; Rees,S.A. High-performance liquid chromatographic determination of spectinomycin in swine, calf and chicken plasma using post-column derivatization, *J.Chromatogr.B*, **1995**, 672, 165–171.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** bulk

**Sample preparation:** 10 mL 250  $\mu$ g/mL Spectinomycin solution in buffer + 10 mL 10 mg/mL 2-naphthalenesulfonyl chloride in MeCN containing 200  $\mu$ g/mL methylprednisolone acetate (prepare fresh daily), shake, heat at 100° for 10 min, cool to room temperature, make up to 50 mL with mobile phase, shake vigorously for 10 min, centrifuge at <300 g for 3–5 min, inject a 40  $\mu$ L aliquot of the organic layer. (Buffer was 4.2 g/L sodium bicarbonate containing 100  $\mu$ L/L 1-methylpyrrole.)

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m LiChrosorb SI-60

**Mobile phase:** Butyl chloride:THF:ethyl acetate:isopropanol:acetic acid 86:3.7:3:2.5:5 (Butyl chloride was 50% water-saturated.)

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 40

**Detector:** UV 254

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 10

**Internal standard:** methylprednisolone acetate (18)

**Limit of detection:** 4.2 ng

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** actinospectinoic acid

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**KEY WORDS**

derivatization; normal phase

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**REFERENCE**

Tsuji,K.; Jenkins,K.M. Derivatization of secondary amines with 2-naphthalene-sulfonyl chloride for high-performance liquid chromatographic analysis of spectinomycin, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1985**, 333, 365–380.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Prepare an aqueous solution, inject an aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 43 × 4.2 Perisorb RP-8 (Merck)

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 LiChrosorb RP-8

**Mobile phase:** 0.1% Acetic acid containing 20 mM sodium heptanesulfonate and 200 mM sodium sulfate

**Flow rate:** 2

**Injection volume:** 15

**Detector:** F ex 350 nm 450 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with 10 mM sodium hypochlorite in 400 mM pH 10.4 potassium borate buffer pumped at 0.5 mL/min and the mixture flowed through a 2 m × 0.5 mm i.d. PTFE coil at 100° and was mixed with the reagent pumped at 0.5 mL/min. This mixture passed through a 2 m × 0.5 mm i.d. PTFE coil at ambient temperature to the detector. (The reagent was prepared by adding 10 mL 80 mg/mL o-phthalaldehyde in 95% EtOH to 1 L 400 mM boric acid solution containing 2 mL 2-mercaptoethanol adjusted to pH 9.7 with KOH, then adding 1 g/L Brij. (Proc. Nat. Acad. Sci. USA 1975, 72, 619).)

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 7.5

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** actinamine, actinospectinoic acid, dihydrospectinomycin

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**KEY WORDS**

post-column reaction

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**REFERENCE**

Myers,H.N.; Rindler,J.V. Determination of spectinomycin by high-performance liquid chromatography with fluorimetric detection, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1979**, 176, 103–108.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Inject 50 µL of a solution in 150 mM sodium acetate.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 25 × 4 IonPac CG3 (Dionex)

**Column:** 250 × 4 IonPac CS3 (Dionex)

**Mobile phase:** 150 mM pH 6 sodium acetate buffer

**Column temperature:** 21

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** E following post-column reaction, Dionex pulsed-amperometric detector, gold working electrode, stainless steel auxiliary electrode, Ag/AgCl reference electrode, rise-time filter 3.0 s, output range 1 µA. Pulse sequence was +0.05 V sampling potential with 100 ms delay-time and 380 ms measuring time followed by +0.60 V oxidation potential to clean the electrode for 120 ms and -0.70 V reduction potential to activate the electrode for 60 ms. The column effluent mixed with 100 mM NaOH pumped at 0.5 mL/min and the mixture flowed to the detector.

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 10.7

**Limit of detection:** 20 ng

**Limit of quantitation:** 60 ng

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** actinamine, actinospectinoic acid

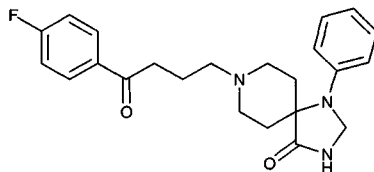
**KEY WORDS**

post-column reaction

**REFERENCE**

Phillips,J.G.; Simmonds,C. Determination of spectinomycin using cation-exchange chromatography with pulsed amperometric detection, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1994**, 675, 123–128.

# Spiperone

**Molecular formula:**  $C_{23}H_{26}FN_3O_2$ **Molecular weight:** 395.48**CAS Registry No.:** 749-02-0**Merck Index:** 8903**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 500  $\mu$ L Plasma + 500  $\mu$ L 500 mM pH 8.5 phosphate buffer, extract with 2.5 mL heptane:isoamyl alcohol 98:2. Shake for 5 min, centrifuge at 1700 g for 10 min. Mix 2.0 mL organic layer with 100  $\mu$ L 3 M acetic acid, shake for 20 min, centrifuge at 1700 g for 10 min. Aspirate organic layer, inject a 20  $\mu$ L aliquot of the aqueous layer.

**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 150  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m EicomPak MA-5ODS (Eicom, Japan)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:buffer 20:15:65 containing 500  $\mu$ g/L disodium EDTA (Buffer was 100 mM  $KH_2PO_4$  adjusted to pH 3.5 with 100 mM phosphoric acid.)

**Flow rate:** 1**Injection volume:** 20**Detector:** E, Eicom ECD-100, glassy carbon electrode +1 V, Ag/AgCl reference electrode**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 14.9**Internal standard:** spiperone**KEY WORDS**

plasma; rat; spiperone is IS

**REFERENCE**

Takayasu,T.; Kakubari,I.; Fukamachi,A.; Mafune,E.; Takasugi,N.; Takayama,K.; Nagai,T. Determination of timiperone in rat plasma by high-performance liquid chromatography with electrochemical detection, *J.Chromatogr.B*, **1996**, 679, 161–165.